

GUILTY AS CHARGED

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Williams, the Wife Murderer,
Convicted.

His Limping Excuses for a Most Repulsive Crime.

It Takes a Jury Eleven Minutes to Settle His Case.

Instead of a Reserved Hanging He Is Recommended to Imprisonment for Life—An Omission by the Prosecution, Which Helped Him.

The trial of William Williams, the wife murderer, again occupied the attention of

afternoon, when declaring a recess until 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning, the Court implored all the parties to the case to be promptly in attendance at the time set, but Juror Bullis was absent after the roll was called, and ten minutes were wasted in awaiting his arrival. The prisoner was brought into court in irons, and appeared to be as nonchalant as he was when arrested. There is no doubt that his careless appearance during the trial has worked up a greater prejudice against him than was felt prior to the trial.

sworn: I am sergeant of the police force and am acquainted with the defendant. When I first saw him it was on the occasion of his arrest at the complaint of Mrs Williams. I went there with Officers Arguello and Roberts, and Mrs. Williams and James McGowan were there also. Williams asked his wife why she had him arrested, and she told him it was because he had threatened to kill her several times, and now she was afraid of him. Williams then told her he was sorry for it, and only said so in joke. If she would forgive him that time he would never do so again. I saw no other

sworn: I am a police officer and am acquainted with the defendant. On the 6th of June Mrs. Williams came to the office of the Chief of Police crying, and complained that McGowan and her husband had thrown her out of bed and had then got into the bed themselves. I had other officers with me, as Mrs. Williams had informed me that Williams had promised to shoot the officer who came after him.

ANNIE WEBBER, recalled, testified: Williams has been treating my mamma mean for the last two years

and often struck her and promised her worse treatment. I don't think I would know McTigown again. I know he wanted to kill my husband, when he ran her out of the house with the big knife, because she told me so then.

PETER A. REEL

testified: I remember the night of the murder of Mrs. Williams. I received the message by telephone at about 12:40 on Saturday night. I went to the corner of Alamed and Gualadupe streets, and, after seeing the body, telephoned for the Coroner, and the started out after the murderer. I tracked him by his footprints all down Alamed

bank of the river. I know they were in the tracks of Williams, for after we arrested him I compared the shoes he wore with the footprints. He ran his shoes over on the inside, and this was visible on the tracks. After the electric light went out, and in places where it did not throw light, I had a candle to trace the steps by. The pistol shown me is the same given me by Mrs. Devine after the arrest of Williams. It is a "British Bulldog."

MRS. ELLEN DEVINE

then testified: I now reside on the corner of Fourth and Spring streets. In August last I lived on the corner of Pine street at

Williams came to us on the morning after he killed his wife. I saw him out in the wood shed, and going out to where he was standing, he commenced to cry. I asked him if he had been drinking, and he said, "No." It was then that I knew he was telling the truth. The pistol went off accidentally. A other day's sun will never shine on me. I said I was fearfully excited, so telling my boy to go and telephone for an officer, asked Williams if I should get him some thing to eat. He then showed me the pistol and as a reward might get a few dollars. I told him to give it to me, and he could see me again at any time he wanted it. He then gave it to me, telling me not to say anything.

Annie Webber was again recalled and stated that at the time her mother was threatened by Williams there was another man in the room, thought his name was Slater. Here a five minutes' recess was given to enable a witness for the People to be called. The case was then continued the way to court to put in an appearance. In the meantime a bench warrant was issued for Martin Devine, with bail fixed at \$500, returnable at 10 a. m. today. A verdict was returned for the People against the defendant, Bernard Williams, on the charge of manslaughter, having no other witnesses called.

who was hurt on the motor road. As was too drunk for any use when in court recently, he was likely to be called to suffer for his contempt. No witness had arrived during the recess. Mr. Dray announced that the People rested.

JAMES M'GOWAN,
an old partner of Williams, was the witness called for the defense, and in response to the call a tall, red-faced, young-looking man put in an appearance and testified: I reside in this city. I know defendant well and have known him ten years. I was at his house at the time we were arrested by his wife. We had

many the houses where bricklayers generally to be found. He told me he had a room to rent, and as I wanted a room took his and agreed to pay him \$8.00 a month. I had no furniture, but the first time Williams got into bed with me, he said something about his wife not being home. Shortly after this we were arrested and I thought it was because Mrs. Williams had got mad at me for doing something the window. I never saw any trouble there until Williams and I were taken to the Cross-examined: I knew Williams at Reno, Nev. Since that time I worked with him all over the State here in Los Angeles. While we were

not very much. I have never heard anything about Williams treating his family in any way that is not right.

JOHN SLATER, another bricklayer, then testified: I am a bricklayer and have been intimately acquainted with the defendant for about years. I was at his house one night when he was arrested. I was there at his invitation to eat supper and remain all night. When supper was ready Mrs. Williams refused to attend on us, and Williams was plainly because his guest was a colored man. He said: "Never let a nigger eat with me." He said: "Never let a nigger eat with me."

my guests, I will hand you all into
want," Mrs. Williams then got
smatching up the big butcher knife
said: "You d—n s—n of a b—n
have been following me up all day.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

SUMMARY OF NEWS GATHERED FROM EXCHANGES.

A Pasadena Ordinance for River-side—The Chain-Gang in San Diego—Bismuthous Coal—Big Brickmaking in Paso Robles.

Riverside.
[Condensed from Press, Nov. 14.]
The Board of Trustees today ordered a "Pasadena" salmon ordinance drawn up by the City Attorney.

The dedication of the United Brethren Church on White's addition took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Bishop Wright presiding.

The Rowell Hotel party changes hands today, M. S. Rowell selling out his interest to W. A. Clement.

The proprietors hereafter will be Messrs. Huston & Clement.

The old saying that "a new broom sweeps clean" is about to be verified in our new Episcopal Church. The pastor has already had five applications for the first marriage ceremony in the new church, and several young couples to hear from yet.

[From Reporter, Nov. 14.]
George Cluff and his talented wife, Mrs. Gertrude Cluff, formerly editor of the Valley Review and late of the Lodi Cyclone are in the city.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Cluff are doing much to create a boom in San Joaquin county.

Mrs. Cluff by her able pen and Mr. Cluff by his bustling qualities. The Cluffs are highly delighted with the charming scenery of Riverside and her salubrious climate.

San Diego.
[Condensed from Mercury, Nov. 13.]
San Diego is to have a County Agricultural and Horticultural Fair Association.

P. A. Hurley is now business manager of the National City Record.

In the Recorder's Court this morning four "vags" were sent to the chain-gang for ten days. H. Williams, a common drunk, will serve a like term.

Capt. Hoffman, of the San Diego Post, U.S.A., owing to physical disabilities, has been ordered to appear before the Retiring Board at San Francisco.

Henry Myers, an employee of the San Diego planning mill, had his left arm torn from its socket late yesterday afternoon. He now lies at his residence, 1938 L street, very much exhausted.

Gen. R. P. Hammond, Jr., Surveyor-General for California, has requested the County Clerk to forward him the county census returns for 1882 and 1887. He desires the figures to assist in the compilation of a Congressional report.

[Condensed from Sun, Nov. 14.]
Painters without and frescoers within are rapidly adding to the appearance of the hotel bar and dining room.

The new motor line running from the hotel to Coronado Heights will be equipped with double-deck cars.

The addition of ferns, palms, banana and other plants to the courtyard of the Hotel del Coronado adds much to its beauty.

The ostrich plumes are now about ripe, and are being plucked. A new industry, the dressing of ostrich plumes, has already been started upon the city side of the bay.

All the rainwater which strikes the roof of the mammoth hotel will be saved. A receptacle is provided for it in the shape of a cistern with a capacity of 500,000 gallons.

Pomona.
[Condensed from Times, Nov. 14.]
Ten cases of lumber and one of merchandise were received today.

A five-foot vein of bituminous coal has been discovered near South Riverside.

The Gas Company is running its pipes into the business houses on Second street.

Mr. A. R. Meserve and wife arrived home Sunday evening from their eastern visit.

Col. Rhorer has sold his remaining interest in the Rogers tract to Mr. John H. Dole for the sum of \$26,414.

The Pomona Heights street railroad is progressing finely. The track is laid nearly to Fifth avenue, and the graders are at work on Ellen street, between Sixth and Tenth streets.

Paso Robles.
[Condensed from Leader, Nov. 12.]
Mr. Arthur Baril, who a few days since had his leg amputated, is doing nicely.

Two million two hundred thousand brick have been made in Paso Robles since May last.

There is a party of Swedish persons who are contemplating putting up a store on Spring street. It will be cooperative in its management.

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2 lots, clean side Ottawa st., each.	2500
1 lot, Chippinot tract.	1500
Lots 15 and 19, Daily tract.	1000
House and lot, Kinney tract.	2500
1 lot, Highland ave., near Pacific.	1500
1 lot, Highland Place tract.	1500
2 lots, Highland ave., near Pacific.	1500
2 lots, Hinton ave., both.	2700
1 lot, Hamilton st., East Los Angeles.	1500
1 lot, corner Bellevue and Centennial sts.	3000
2 lots, Maple ave.	2750 to 3000
1 lot, corner Pacific and Main.	3000
House, 8 rooms, fine lot, Santa Fe.	4000
30 acres, bet. Pico and Ninth sts., per acre.	275
2 lots, Bonanza avenue, Park Villa, each.	1750
House, 6 rooms, bath, windmill, etc., and 2 elegant lots, clean side Morris.	3500
1/2 Washington st., just off Main.	1500
House 10 rooms and good lot, Montreal st., for lot per acre.	1000
1 lot on Bush street, just off Main.	1500
Several elegant lots, Park Villa, etc.	1500
2 lots corner Eleventh and Nevada; both.	2000
2 lots clean side Waters; bargain; both.	2400
Lots 1st tract, Hoy Heights.	1500
Elegant lots clean side Oak.	2300 to 2500
Elegant 3-acre lot, covered with bearing fruit trees; fine hedge; house 5 rooms, windmill, etc.; just off Washington and Figueroa.	13,000
1 lot on Court, bet. Pacific and Washington.	1500
1 lot on Hubby ave.	800
2 lots clean side Pine.	1000
2 lots on King st.; bargain; each.	1500
1 lot on Anita st., near Main.	1500
2 lots corner Eleventh and Nevada.	11,000
House of 5 rooms, nice lot, Pine st.	2000
1 lot, corner Hill and Oak, both.	1500
1 lot, University tract.	1000
2 lots, Brown & Adams' subdivision, both 1/2 acres 1/2 miles from Glendale P. O.	2800
House, 5 rooms, fine lot, Western ave.	2000
1 lot, Fair Oaks ave., Pasadena, per foot.	75
1 lot, De Olla Vineyard.	2500
1 lot, Santa Fe, near Washington.	2500
House and lot, corner St. John and Daily.	1500
Lots in Shaw tract.	800 to 950
1 lot, Sisters of Charity tract.	1500
2 elegant lots, Flower, bet. 13th and Pico.	10,000
1 lot, corner Bozella and Cypress.	600
1 lot, Waverley tract, bet. Main and 1st.	500
1 lot, Whitney tract.	1500
1 corner lot, Washington st.	1700
1 lot clean side Pine.	1000
1 lot corner Bryant and Lincoln.	2000
1 lot Union tract, cheap.	1500
Lot 10, block 2, Urmaton.	1200
Lot 4, block 1, Wolfkill.	1000
1 lot in Villa Villa tract.	650
Lot 23, Severance tract.	1125
1 lot, corner Pacific and Main.	1500
N. W. cor. Figueroa and Montgomery, foot 1/2.	125
W. W. cor. Adams and Orchard avenue.	1500
1/2 acre, Adams and Orchard avenue.	1500
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2 houses on Ducommun street and 2 lots, bet. 13th and Pico.	6000
House of 5 rooms, bath, etc., Fuller street, near Walnut avenue.	2750
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Myrtle avenue.	2000

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125-22000, 5-room house and lot near Downey ave., East Los Angeles.

1300-1300, lot in Walker tract.

13100-Lot on Sichel street, near street cars.

13200-Lot in Sunset tract; fine.

13300-Lot on Main street, near Jefferson.

13400-Lot in Angelino Heights.

13500-For 20 acres in Compton; good house; well improved.

13600-For 100 feet on Main, near Jefferson; 6-room house, good condition; well, windmill and tank; fruit and flowers.

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3,500-50 feet on Flower street.

2,500-Lot 15x150, Severance st., near Adams.

1,500-2 lots on Eleventh street, one block from Figueroa.

6,500-30 lots on west side of Figueroa, near Pico.

3,750-3 lots on Washington, cor. of Iowa.

2,700-Lot on clean side of Ocean street, 105x170.

2,000-Corner Grand avenue and Adams.

25,000-Corner Los Angeles and Fourth sts.; 6x125; near Government building.

215-Per front foot, Main, near new hotel.

300-Per front foot, best corner on Port street, adjoining St. Vincent Hotel.

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300-Per front foot, 6x10, Sixth-street Park.

10,000-30 feet on Port street, one-half block from hotel.

800-A few of the best lots on Pasadena avenue, in Garvanzo.

11,000-Lot on Hill street, between Tenth and Eleventh.

3,500-Good 6-room house on Beaudry ave., near Temple.

12,000-10 room house, Olive st., near Second.

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"The Times" has a larger circulation than any other newspaper published in Southern California.

SENeca AUGUSTUS SWAIN was arraigned yesterday on five charges of forgery.

The Central Bank of Canada has gone up Salt River, and its creditors are pretty badly pickled.

CARNEY and McLaughlin, an English and an American slogger, fought seventy-four rounds yesterday near Boston.

WILLIAMS, the wife-killer, was yesterday found guilty of murder in the first degree. In their report the jury named imprisonment for life as Williams' allotment.

If Neelie, the Anarchist, who was sentenced to seventeen years in the penitentiary, was accessory to the crime of anarchy before the fact, why is not the San Francisco Examiner an accessory after the fact?

SECRETARY BAYARD would like to have the office of inspector of consulates created, the inspector to receive \$8000 per annum and traveling expenses at the rate of \$40,000 a year, \$45,000 in all. A very soft soap. But then, who would inspect the inspector?

MISS WILLARD, the noted temperance lecturer, is of the opinion, that there are enough anti-saloon Republicans at the North to carry prohibition in every State that is now struggling to secure it, and enough anti-saloon Democrats at the South to carry it there. Well, at all events it's a good thing to be hopeful. And, then, it's womanly.

THE Oakland Tribune says that Frank A. Leach, publisher of the Oakland Inquirer, is booked by his political friends for the next vacancy in the Prison Commission. How is that? Leach is a consistent Republican. The same paper also states that W. R. Thomas is now Chief of Police, but he is to resign presently. Mr. Thomas is Gov. Waterman's nephew. Perhaps he is also booked for a vacancy.

NEVADA, politically considered, is a rotten borough. The population of the pseudo State does not equal in number that of the county of Los Angeles, and yet it has three representatives in Congress—one in the lower and two in the upper house. It never had a Senator who was a permanent resident. They have all been carpet-baggers. Its present Senatorial representatives are both residents of California, Fair being a resident of San Francisco and Stewart of Alameda.

THE Examiner has been quizzing ex-Prison Director Wilkins to the cause of his sudden resignation. From the confessed mass of answers which the Examiner managed to gouge out of Mr. Wilkins, it would seem that two things moved Mr. Wilkins to offer his resignation. First, a threat to expose certain immoral practices relative to himself, which Mr. Wilkins didn't want exposed; and second, Gov. Waterman wanted a man on the board who would better carry out his personal views. Wilkins is a young man, one by no means overwhelmed with brains, and totally ignorant of the tortuous windings of politics—particularly official politics. Not so, however, with his successor, J. K. Luttrell. J. K. is a natural-born political trickster—coony, wolfish and foxy.

DEKBY DALE, England, celebrated the Queen's jubilee by the baking and eating of an immense pie, the traditional way in which Denby Dale celebrates. The pie was eight feet in diameter and two feet deep. It contained 896 pounds of pork, 1850 pounds of beef, 160 of mutton, 100 of veal, 150 of lamb, 250 of pork, 120 of lamb, 50 of butter, 32 couples of rabbits, 3 hares, 49 fowls, 40 pigeons, 12 grouse, 21 ducks, 4 plovers, 1 turkey, 5 geese and 100 small birds, together with 560 pounds of potatoes, 40 pounds of beef and 40 pounds of drippings. This lavish exhibition was in full blast while 300,000 human beings—men, women and children—were starving in London. It is the constant exhibition of prodigal waste in the presence of unutterable wretchedness that moves from time to time, and it is moving now, that some day will cause them to repeat the colloquy of Jack Cade: "Fy on me—fy on myself, that have a sword and am starving."

POINTS OF THE MORNING NEWS.

The President accepts Commissioner Sparks' resignation. Fresh charges against Dimmig. Judge Maguire of San Francisco expelled to forfeit his seat by absence from the State. Fresh charges preferred against Seneca A. Swain. Clara Belle McDonald held for trial on three more charges. Agreement of New York Cable Construction Company. Fatal accident at Chicago. A notable Spanish wedding. Death of A. A. Cohen. The future resting place of the executed Anarchists still unsettled. Opening of the Italian Parliament. Dynamite at Sacramento. Powder factory blown up at El Paso. Base-ball matters. Sale of a San Diego paper. The California Insurance Company's sensational suit in Illinois. Cashier Creditors indicted. Fire at Erie, Pa. The Carney-McLaughlin fight declared a draw. The National Women's Christian Temperance Association in session at Nashville, Tenn. Result of the inquest in Ling's case. Failure of the Central Bank of Canada. John C. Breckinridge's monument unveiled at Lexington, Ky. Mating excitement at Prescott, Ariz. Fire at Buffalo, N. Y. The Caffery scandal still being investigated. A San Francisco druggist arrested for selling poison to minors. Events on the turf. Dimmig's application for release denied. Departure of a train-load of raisins for the East. A San Francisco stock broker arrested for embezzlement. Flight between Mexican troops and bandits. Ex-Premier Gibson figures in a breach-of-promise suit.

Louisiana's Factions.

Democratic politics, in the main, and at best, is turbulent and factious. Hence, Democratic politics is usually aggressive and therefore energetic, because a factional fight is always a lively and often a vicious one.

In many of the far Southern States it has been made almost impossible to sustain a Republican organization, and so, for want of material upon which to build an honest, open and natural partisan fight, the Democracy of Louisiana has been for some time split in twain, simply that the Democratic penchant for a row may be gratified.

The Louisiana State election does not take place until next April, but the factions are busily engaged preparing for the scrimmage.

The factions are both Democratic, one of them being led by Gov. McEnery and Senator Bustis, and the other rallying to the whoop-up of ex-Gov. Nichols and Senator Gibson.

To a look-oner in Vienna, the knock-down-and-drag-out promises to be very "foin." If the Louisiana clans would follow the noble example of the Killenny cats and stick to the melle until nothing is left but the two quivering stumps of two tails, what a blessing they would confer upon the people of Louisiana, besides securing the credit of having at last accomplished one good deed.

A Chance to Be Reasonable

The merchants whose freight is delayed on the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad naturally vexed. It is not a pleasant experience, certainly. But while there is an excuse for grumbling, there seems to be none for censure. The sudden and stupendous rush of traffic over the Santa Fé system California-wards, has been something which no human mind could have foreseen; and its magnitude is such that no trans-continental road could handle it or provide for it. The passenger rush began thirty to sixty days earlier this year, and is twice heavier than ever before.

This week alone, the Santa Fé brings 5000 persons into Los Angeles. All the prominent locomotive works in the United States are turning out engines as fast as possible, but they cannot fill the orders of the Santa Fé fast enough. The freight movement is almost equally enormous. The road—which is the most enterprising and efficient in the West—has done its level best. Its employees all along the line are worked like slaves by the jam of business. All that human power can do to relieve the pressure is being done, and it is a matter for regret, but not for blame, that it is impossible to do all that could be wished. Those who are disposed to condemn should bear in mind that even a corporation may earn gratitude; and the people of this section know what the Santa Fé has done for us. Our real boom began only with its coming; and its intelligent, progressive and liberal policy has done more, and is doing more, for the development of Southern California than any other agency. It will therefore be well, in devising a means of relief from the blockade, not to be unreasonable in commendation.

An Unexpected Champion

The San Francisco Examiner appears in a very singular role. It appears as a champion of the executed Anarchists. It editorially asserts that "the punishment of the Anarchists was not an incident of ordinary justice, but an act of war."

This is exactly what the Anarchists throughout the United States and the world have been endeavoring to make appear. That is to say, that the men who were executed at Chicago were not guilty individually, but because they were members of an obnoxious element. To fortify this position the Examiner continues:

"It is this broad principle of public policy that gave the Chicago authorities the right to hang men who, under ordinary circumstances, would have been treated as criminals. It may have been a hardship to the selected examples to make them suffer for an offense which thousands before them had committed, but it was a necessary evil, and it was a necessary evil that had reached a point at which individual feelings, and in a measure, individual justice, had to be overlooked for the safety of the society. The trial of the Anarchists was nominally under the then existing common and statute law, but it was really under a sort of ex post facto law of public necessity. The jury were supposed to be convinced beyond a reasonable doubt that Ling, Caffery and their companions were accessories before the fact to the murder of Policeman Deagan. What they were actually convicted of was that the defendants were guilty of a treasonable conspiracy against society; that they were dynamiters on principle, and that if they did not throw the particular bomb in question, nor know who did throw it, they were capable of throwing it, and might throw one next time."

"It has not been the American custom to hang people for incendiary speeches and writings. The most extreme stretch of tyranny during the war, when the writ of habeas corpus was suspended and every man's liberty was subject to Mr. Sedition's little bell, extended to the imprisonment of seditious talkers in a fortress until they had time to cool off. But it is not American to hang incendiary talkers, neither is it American to throw dynamite bombs. People who associate themselves with perpetrators of foreign devils must expect a touch of foreign repression."

"Such a departure from ordinary rules of law and evidence as the proceedings that culminated in yesterday's stranglings could be justified only if it seemed likely to produce a greater good."

The foregoing is likely to do more damage, by way of corrupting public opinion, than anything that could possibly be put forth by the avowed apostles of anarchism. According to the Examiner the executed Anarchists were murdered—murdered by opinion's sake—murdered by those who believed that the opinions of the murdered men might become troublesome or dangerous. If the Examiner so believed, why did it not say so before? Why did it not attempt to save the innocents (?) whose untimely fate it now underhandingly weeps?

THE TIMES of yesterday contained an able editorial on the situation in Europe. The ability of that article might be apparent to the average reader were it not for the efforts of the intellectual compositor, who attempted to add to its brilliancy by substituting the Franco-Prussian for the Turko-Russian war.

MENAND WOMEN OF THE STATE.

Mrs. H. M. la Rue is visiting at Napa. Col. Fred Crocker of the Southern Pacific has returned from New York.

P. H. Dunn of Paso Robles is stopping at the Baldwin Hotel, San Francisco.

Inspector J. W. Mitchell of San Francisco was in Sacramento on the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Rosenstock of San Francisco have gone to New York city to pass the winter.

Hon. Dwight Hollister, one of the largest fruit growers in the State, was in Sacramento yesterday.

J. Gladwin, of the Lincoln pottery and terra cotta works, wife and daughter are in Sacramento.

Commodore and Mrs. John Irwin were the guests last week of Commodore Belknap, at Mare Island.

Gov. Waterman went to Truckee on the 15th to meet his wife and daughter, who returned from a visit to the coast.

Mrs. W. H. Barnes was recently called to Santa Barbara by the severe illness of her mother, Mrs. Gould.

Col. Harvey J. Talcott has returned to San Francisco, after enjoying a two months' visit to the principal cities in the East.

Mrs. Philip Cade and the Misses Corn and Florence Cade are now residing at the Bella Union on Saturday night, where he testified that that evening, was unable to describe it.

THE McDONALD MUDDLE.

Clara Belle Held on Other Charges—Swain's Case Continued.

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A piece was subsequently found by Willie Burke, a 12-year-old boy, and by some means ignited, setting fire to his clothing. In his effort to get rid of the fire, he died.

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EASTERN NEWS.

The Voice of the Anarchists Still Heard.

A Leader of the American Party Explains Its Object.

A Boston Man's Idea for Settling the Fishery Trouble.

Sensational Developments in the California Insurance Company's Suit in Illinois.

By Telegram to The Times.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—[By the Associated Press.] The Arbeiter Zeitung this evening publishes a letter from Michael Schwab, written in the County Jail on the day before the execution of the Anarchists. The letter is printed under the head of "August Spies as a Man," but is devoted to proving that while Spies and Ling had different ideas, the former, nevertheless, had a high opinion of the bomb-maker. The letter further states that all the Anarchists agreed that Ling was an extraordinary man.

John Bushier, the president of the Waldheim Cemetery Association, speaking this afternoon of the probability that the dead Anarchists will be permanently interred at Waldheim said: "One thing is certain, the association will never again allow such speeches or such scenes as took place last Sunday. If any monument to the five men should be erected, it would first have to meet the approval of the directors of the cemetery. No reasonable inscriptions or designs will be permitted on it."

A NOVEL PROJECT.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

King Humbert Indulges in Peaceful Talk.

English Socialists Propose to Renew the Fight Next Sunday.

Fourteen Persons Killed by an Explosion in a Mine.

A Notable Wedding at the Spanish Capital—The Calfareo Scandal Still Agitating Paris—Irish Scandal Refuse a Reduction in Rent—Foreign Notes.

By Telegram to The Times.

ROME, Nov. 16.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] Parliament opened today. King Humbert in the speech from the throne said that Parliament can without anxiety carefully and promptly attend to internal affairs. If peace is maintained no extraordinary military expenditures will appear in the next budget, and then the Government will be able to place the finances on a firm basis. He praised the army and navy, which, he said, thanks to assiduous care, were growing stronger and stronger.

THE CAFEPIRE SCANDAL.

PARIS, Nov. 16.—President Grévy's son-in-law, Wilson, appeared before the examining magistrate today and insisted that the letters produced at the Cafe de la Paix, and which it was claimed were ante-dated, were actually written in 1884. An expert was called, who declared that the letters were written recently. The manufacturer of the paper on which the letters were written swore that the paper was not woven until 1885. The magistrate summoned Wilson's secretary, who wrote the disputed letters.

PREPARING FOR TROUBLE.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—A meeting of Radical clubs and Socialists held this evening resolved to hold a meeting at Hyde Park on Sunday, and to send a small delegation to Trafalgar square. The object of the latter move is to secure a technical case of assault against the police, as it is expected that the delegation will be prevented from entering the square. The whole question of the right of the public to hold meetings in the square will then be raised in court.

A NOTED SPANISH WEDDING.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—Dispatches from Madrid announce the marriage of ex-Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo to the daughter of the Marquis Pantoja y Sotomayor. A representative of the Queen was present at the wedding, and after the ceremony Señor Canovas and his bride went to the palace and paid their respects to the Queen.

THE ENGLISH LIBERAL LEAGUE.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—At the annual conference of the English Liberal League today a programme was adopted approving home rule, colonial federation, triennial parliaments, payment of members of Parliament, free education, manhood suffrage, international arbitration and female franchise.

TENANTS REFUSE A REDUCTION.

DUBLIN, Nov. 16.—The tenants on the County Down estate of Lord Londonderry, Lord Lieutenant, have declined to accept the offer of 50 per cent reduction on their rents, and will adhere to their determination to enter the land court.

DAVITT STILL DEFIANT.

DUBLIN, Nov. 16.—Michael Davitt at Limerick today said that 'O'Brien's life has far too precious to be sacrificed in a dispute about clothes. If he died in jail his countrymen would know how to avenge him.'

THE CROWN PRINCE.

BERLIN, Nov. 16.—The Crown Prince took a long walk today, and afterward received the Emperor and Empress. The Prince's face is clear and he is in good spirits.

FIGHT WITH INSURGENTS.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—In a recent episode in eastern Roumelia sixteen soldiers were killed by insurgents and thirty wounded. The insurgents lost sixty men.

KILLED IN A COAL MINE.

BERLIN, Nov. 16.—Fourteen persons were killed by an explosion in a coal mine at Crensenau, near Darmstadt, today.

DEATHS.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—The Globe officially says: "The Government will swear in 20,000 special constables, in order to check further riots in London."

DUBLIN, Nov. 16.—The Court of Queen's Bench has quashed the verdict of the coroner's jury at Mitchelstown in the case of the victims of police shooting on the 9th of September.

CANTON, Nov. 16.—The steamer Wang Young has been destroyed by fire in Canton River. About 400 passengers are supposed to have been lost.

PARIS, Nov. 16.—Gen. Leflo is dead, aged 81.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—Sir William McArthur, ex-Lord Mayor of London, died today.

RACES AT CLIFTON.

CLIFTON, Nov. 16.—The day was cold and the track heavy.

First race, seven-eighths of a mile, nine starters—Slumber won, Little Mickey second, Carrie O. third. Time, 1:38 1/2.

Three-fourths of a mile, nine starters—Wayward won, Harvard second, Lea third. Time, 1:39 1/2.

Seven-eighths of a mile, nine starters—Traveler won, Kink second, Count Luna third. Time, 1:38 1/2.

One mile, handicap, seven starters—Waukena won, Bright Eyes second, Hermitage third. Time, 1:51 1/2.

Last race, seven-eighths of a mile, twelve starters—Figueroa won, St. Andrew second, Queen of Hearts third. Time, 1:37 1/2.

Battle with Bandits.

GALVESTON (Tex.), Nov. 16.—A special from Brownsville to the News says: Last Tuesday a force of the Fourth Mexican Cavalry left Mer to carry Pequinino Sozuelos, a noted bandit leader, to Nueva Leon. On the way they were attacked by a strong force of bandits who tried to capture the prisoner. Sozuelos was shot down by his escort to prevent his escape. After a hot fight the bandits were beaten off, with less loss to the troops than was expected. One private wounded and two horses killed.

Dynamite at Sacramento.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 16.—The police have in their possession a small dynamite bomb which was found last Thursday on the top of a fire hydrant. The person who found it was on the point of breaking it open with a hammer, but desisted when cautioned by a bystander. On examination it was found that the bomb contained black powder, dynamite, sulphur, saltpetre, small pieces of glass, etc. There is no clue as to who placed the bomb there or with what purpose.

Reception to Gov. Sample.

COLUMBIA (Wash.), Nov. 16.—Gov. Eugene Sample was tendered a reception in the City Hall last evening. He left today for Walla Walla via Moscow and Lewiston. The object of the trip is to gather statistics and obtain the sentiments of the people to aid him in the next Legislature.

Reward Offered.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 16.—Gov. Waterman has offered a reward of \$250 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers of Frank Hamilton, found dead at American Hill or Pilgrim mine, in Sierra county, October 23d, death having resulted from a gunshot wound.

Prescott's Gold Fever.

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vein is very rich and valuable. The greatest excitement prevails here. Telegrams are pouring in from all over asking the truth of the statement.

Factory Burned.

ENRIE (Pa.), Nov. 16.—This morning the factory of the Erie Company was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000; insurance, \$30,000.

To Be Court-Martialed.

PORTLAND (Or.), Nov. 16.—Tomorrow morning a court-martial will convene here to investigate charges preferred against Capt. Tobey, Company F, Fourteenth Infantry.

Mrs. Folz's Paper Sold.

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 16.—The sale of the Evening Bee, Mrs. Clara Folz's paper, is confirmed. It was purchased by A. H. Howard and Thomas Pich. The price was \$15,000.

A Trainload of Raisins.

FRESNO, Nov. 16.—A special train of twenty cars loaded with raisins left here this afternoon consigned to a firm in New York. This is the first full trainload of raisins ever shipped from the Pacific Coast.

Murder in the First Degree.

SEATTLE (Wash.), Nov. 16.—Albert Frederick was this evening found guilty of murder in the first degree for killing Julius Scherling, July 14th last. A motion was made for a new trial and November 29th was fixed as the day for argument.

Naughty Old Gibson.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—The brig Just, arrived from the Hawaiian Islands this morning, brings word that on the 27th of last month a vessel was rendered in peril by a Mrs. St. Clair in a breach of promise suit against ex-Premier W. M. Gibson, now in this city. The damages awarded were \$10,000.

A Shocking Death.

CHICO, Nov. 16.—B. J. Fleck, a miner near here, brought his wife and son from the mountains this morning to winter in Chico. In loading goods from the train he stepped to the rear and pulled a rifle toward him. It caught and was discharged. The ball entered his right side and passed clear through the body. He cried, "My God! I am dying!" and fell dead. His wife and son witnessed his death.

The Fast Northern Train.

Sunday last, the 13th inst., the Southern Pacific Company put on a double daily passenger train service between Los Angeles and the East via the northern routes. The train leaving this city at 1:30 p.m. daily will carry through Pullman palace cars and elegant sleeping cars, the former to Ogden and the latter to Omaha without change, making through eastern connections, and the fastest time of any train ever run between Los Angeles and the East by the northern routes.

This train makes all the evening train connections out of Chicago on the fifth day, thus nearly equaling the through time from San Francisco, with 480 more miles to run.

The train is made up in the Southern Pacific yards in this city, thus positively assuring leaving on time.

The 7:30 p.m. train from this city will carry through Pullman palace cars, and will make connections at Ogden with the first-class passenger train from those points.

The Union Pacific and Denver and Rio Grande Railways have put on extra train service to connect at Ogden with both of these trains.

Bureau of Information.

The following letter is self explanatory: "My stranger that is within thy gates."

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 16, 1887.

To the citizens of Los Angeles:

To assist making welcome and caring for the strangers to arrive in this city, the honorable Mayor and the Council, Board of Supervisors and Board of Trade, have united to establish a Bureau of Information, and have sought to procure rooms and homes so far as practicable, for those who arrive among us. An appeal is hereby made to our fellow citizens to assist in carrying out the commendable objects for which the bureau is established.

We desire to be apprised of all opportunities for lodging and board in families, and shall bulletin and advertise the information thus obtained.

Please communicate to the Bureau how many persons you can accommodate; whether rooms are furnished or otherwise, and whether with board and rate per week for board singly, room singly, or board and room. A personal call preferred.

R. R. HAYES, Manager.

Room 1, Postoffice Court.

Postoffice box 1800.

In Hard Lines.

C. F. N. Bresk was found at the Southern Pacific depot last night at 10 o'clock and brought to the police station for medical treatment. The man is a cripple and has only one eye. He came up on the train from Santa Monica where he has been stopping for the past two weeks, to go to the hospital, but was overlooked until too late. Bresk is evidently a confirmed invalid, has been in several hospitals in San Francisco and Oakland. From papers in his possession it seems that he is an Odd Fellow in good standing, and has several receipts for dues paid, etc. He had only 10 cents in money when brought to the station.

Y. M. C. A.

One of the grandest services ever held in the city was the meeting held last night for men only by the Young Men's Christian Association in the First Presbyterian Church. Over 300 men gathered to hear the remarks of the speakers. Some of the boys got up on the streets with invitations; others sang in the street corner, and this brings together a crowd of men. Tonight there will be no meeting because of the regular church services. Tomorrow night the topic is: "Am I fighting a victorious fight?" All men are invited. The association orchestra and the male quartette every night are much appreciated.

Big Police Work.

Police Chief Moffet has just completed his annual statement of police business for the fiscal year ending October 31st. The totals are as follows: Number of arrests, 5194; drunks, 1866; those who did not show up for trial after being released on bail, 1387; number tried in police court, 3897; number convicted, 2812; number collected fine, \$18,659.13. During Darcy's term of two months there have been 1164 arrests, and collected by fines, \$8339.30. In 1879 the police arrested 719; in 1880, 691; in 1881, 945; in 1882, 1231; in 1883, 1803; in 1884, 2166; in 1885, 2471; in 1886, 3214; and in 1887, 5194.

Allowed to Go.

Early last evening quite an excitement was caused at the police station by a well-dressed German and a weeping boy, who were brought in by Officer Collins. The boy claimed that he was walking along Spring street when he was accidentally shoved against the German. That individual became angry and boxed the little fellow's ears in a most savage manner. The officer on watch informed the little fellow that he would have to appear in court if the man was arrested, and he looked out, so the thumper of small boys was allowed to go.

Imbecile Arguments.

An evening sheet, in endeavoring to prove that there is no scarcity of coal, notes that forty carloads are being shipped down from San Francisco to relieve a famine which doesn't exist. It is usual to ship coal from San Francisco to Los Angeles? The price has gone up \$3 a ton—probably because the dealers have too much on hand.

Another Person.

W. E. Peyton, keeper and proprietor of the restaurant at the Santa Fe depot, has had no trouble with his wife, doesn't live on Georgia street, and is not the party referred to in our item about a "divided family" on Tuesday. It was an entirely different person.

A FEARFUL FALL.

Two House Painters Hurt, Probably, Fatal Death.

Yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock a most frightful accident occurred on the corner of Jefferson and Main streets. Two house painters named John Coakley and Tom Valpey were at work on a two-story frame house painting the roof, when the scaffold gave way and the poor fellows fell a distance of forty feet to the ground. Their cries brought a crowd to their assistance almost immediately, and they were made as comfortably as possible until medical assistance arrived. Coakley fell at full length on the hard ground, striking on his right side. He seemed to be one mass of jelly on that side, but striking, no bones were broken. He was hurt internally, and his recovery is very doubtful. Valpey fell on his back, and his left leg was broken. He also is in a very dangerous condition and his friends did not expect him to live. Officer Harris was sent out and took Coakley to his home, on the corner of Seventh and Olive streets, and Valpey was taken to Vermont avenue.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Able Argument by Mr. Daups.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 14.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] For expressing their opinions and free thoughts those poor young men were murdered and then cruelly insulted; their wives, mothers, daughters and sisters cowardly and ignominiously jeered by those vile adherents of the press and the church.

Vindicators of the law and order, why did you not make it triumph with the rebellious Jeff Davis? With the Klunkhust, murdering negroes and whites? Why? I will tell you. Because they belonged to the same class as yourself, and consequently wolves; for wolves do not tear one another. But if, for the sake of the unfortunate class of proletarians, anyone should raise his voice in favor of their emancipation, and declare the truth against their master, immediately the bulldogs and bloodhounds of the capitalists and the church set up the howling bellowing cry, "Law and order must reign! Hang them all, right or wrong!" I heard once in the South: "Do not kill that man; he is not guilty." "It does not make any difference; he is a negro." Here it is the Mexican; in the East the plebeian. Woe to the vanquished.

Yours respectfully,

L. F. DAUPS.

Culture's Bier.

(Chicago Tribune.)

"O, Mr. Grimshaw!" exclaimed Miss Howard, clapping her hands ecstatically. "Isn't the Atlantic exquisite this month? Such a delightful omnium gathrum!"

"I've never been there," replied the young man from Millwaukee. "I don't know about them fancy dishes, any how. When I want a good plain stew or a clam chowder, I always go to the Occidental."

The Weather.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, Nov. 16.—At 4:07 a.m. today the thermometer registered 44; at 12:07 p.m., 65; at 7:07 p.m., 54. Barometer for corresponding periods, 30.0, 30.04, 30.03. Maximum temperature, 66. Minimum temperature, 40. Weather clear.

At People's Store.

The crowds at the People's Store seem to grow larger daily. There surely must be some reason for this. The store has what we can give is that the values we offer make many eager purchasers open their eyes. It is upon their eyes that the store has its chief reliance. The store has a large stock of goods, and is constantly adding to it. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price.

Our first bargain today is a line of 104 white shirts at 14 each. A bargain that will astonish every purchaser, and something that will happen again. The store has a large stock of goods, and is constantly adding to it. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price.

A line of black and white colored jerseys at 90c each. A bargain that will astonish every purchaser, and something that will happen again. The store has a large stock of goods, and is constantly adding to it. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price.

Our second is a line of plain dress goods at 75c a yard. A bargain that will astonish every purchaser, and something that will happen again. The store has a large stock of goods, and is constantly adding to it. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price.

Our fourth is a line of half wool dress goods at 100 a yard, pretty in appearance and made of good material. A bargain that will astonish every purchaser, and something that will happen again. The store has a large stock of goods, and is constantly adding to it. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price.

Our fifth is a line of half-line striped dress goods at 60c a yard. This is a decided bargain. A line of double faced, heavy material, and serviceable to wear; a special that will astonish every purchaser, and something that will happen again. The store has a large stock of goods, and is constantly adding to it. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price. The store is a place where you can find everything you need at a low price.

Our sixth is a line of children's scarlet all wool undershirts at 50c; all sizes, and reduced from 75c. A line of ladies' hand-made zephyr knit undershirts, long sleeves, 51c, and a bargain at 51c.

Children's solid-colored ribbed line-thread hose, 10c a pair, reduced from 15c. Ladies' solid colored hose, 15c a pair; full figured, and reduced from 20c.

A line of children's felt sailor hats, 90c; nicely made and reduced from 1.00.

A line of infants' French knit button shoes with tassels, 50c a pair; reduced from 75c.

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[The machines described below are now kept on hand at the Times-Mirror office, and persons can be supplied on short notice, without having to wait until they are shipped from Chicago. The freight is included in the charge below named, from Chicago to Los Angeles.]

This machine is the first of its kind ever offered the public at factory prices, and cannot be bought from agents for less than the regular selling price, \$75. It is the high-arm pattern, but cannot be run backward; has automatic cut-off for driving belt, which prevents it from being run in reverse; has a special threader, and no thread or needles; it is a noiseless, light-running machine, accompanied by an illustrated book, which makes everything so plain and simple that any lady or child can master it. We call it the **MILBURN HIGH-ARM SEWING MACHINE**, and we warrant it to give full and entire satisfaction in every respect. If you are not satisfied within ten days after your subscriber has received his share, if it fails to be as represented, at our expense, and money will be refunded. Please

Knowing the character of the machine and the high grade of material and workmanship entering into its construction, we have no hesitation in agreeing to return the money at once to any subscriber who is not fully satisfied on examination that our high-arm machine is fully equal for less than \$55. Each part of the machine is fitted with such exactness that no

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OUTFIT—Each machine is supplied with the following outfit: One Hemmer and Feller (one piece), Twelve Needles, Six Bobbins, One Wrench, One Quilting Gauge, One Screw Driver, Oil Can filled with Oil, Cloth Gauge and Thumb-screw and a Book of Directions. The following extra outfits are also furnished free: Ruffler, Tuckor, Blinder, Set of Wide Hemmers and Shirring Plate.

Give shipping directions plainly, as well as the postoffice address the paper is to be sent to.

Having arranged with the manufacturers to supply us with these machines in large quantities for spot cash at very near first cost, we can save our subscribers at least \$25 on the price of each machine. As this is the first time a sewing machine of this character has been offered the public at about manufacturer's cost, we feel confident our readers will promptly take advantage of this opportunity to provide themselves with first-class high-arm machines, which will save them the trouble and expense of making three times the amount.

We could fill several columns expatiating on the merits of our high-arm machine, but to save the reader's patience we will simply say that it contains all the modern improvements, is strong, simple, durable, light-running and noiseless.

the Los ANGELES DAILY TIMES—Any person desiring the Daily and this Sewing Machine can have the same by mail for \$22.50, they paying the freight from this office to their destination.

HOW TO ORDER.

When you remit us the \$22.50 for the Machine and WEEKLY MIRROR one year, write plainly, the point the machine is to be shipped to, as well as the postoffice the paper is to be sent to. The machine should be ordered to the nearest railroad point where the railroad company has an agent stationed, and the name of railroad station, the county and State should be stated. When \$22.50 is sent for the WEEKLY MIRROR one year and the machine, the freight charges from Los Angeles are to be paid by the subscriber at the point the Machine is delivered to.

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Call at Times-Mirror Office and Examine the Machine.

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"GIVING PERFECT SATISFACTION."
 PASADENA, CAL., Oct. 30, 1896.
Times-Mirror Company: The *Times-Mirror* Sewing-Machine is giving perfect satisfaction; in my opinion it is as good as any \$65 machine. I have used it for a heavy work on it yet, but I think it will do it all right. J. W. ROSS, Pasadena, Cal.

"HIGHLY PLEASED WITH IT."
 LOS ANGELES, CAL., Oct. 30, 1896.
Times-Mirror Company: I am highly pleased with the *Premium Sewing-Machine* I purchased with the *Times*. Gives every satisfaction; so easy to learn how to man-

pleased with my machine, as far as I have used it, and feel safe in saying that I have just as much as if I had given it for it. Shall advise any of my friends to use this before buying any other, as I think it is fully as good as represented. Very truly,
 MRS. MARTHA ALLISON.

"RUNS LIGHT AND EASY—DOES ITS WORK WELL."
 PASADENA, CAL., Nov. 5, 1896.
Times-Mirror Company: I can say in regard to the machine that it is well liked. It runs light and easy, and does its work well. It is a very cheap machine at the price you furnish it. Yours truly,

age; does such excellent work; in fact cannot give it too much and would not decrease the amount it cost me. I am, yours respectfully, MRS. EDWIN BROWN.

"THE MORE WE USE IT, THE BETTER WE LIKE

PARASADA, Cal., Oct. 28, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: I have used your sewing-machine since last July. The more we use it the more we like it and heavy work it is splendid. We have tried the attachment. In fact, it goes ahead of your valuable machine.

MRS. S. A. WARE Pasadena, Cal.

"LIKES IT BETTER THAN THE #125 SINGER."

LOS ANGELES, CAL., AUG. 1, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The machine gives entire satisfaction. I think it better than the #125 Singer that it

"EQUAL TO BEST SEW EVER USED."

CORPUS, CAL., FEB. 25, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The High-Rate Sewing-Machine ordered from your company was received in good order, and Mrs. Parcel says it is the best she has ever used of any other kind she has ever used. Very respect fully,

W. M. T. PARCEL.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., FEB. 25, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: The sewing machine we received through your office proves satisfactory. Truly,

W. F. BEADLEY.

"WIFE THINKS IT THE BEST SEW EVER USED."

FORTY CITY, CAL., NOV. 8, 1886.

Times-Mirror Company: We have used

has replaced. Yours truly,
JOSEPH WILSON.
With Perry, Mott & Co.

"GIVES GOOD SATISFACTION." EAST LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 1, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: We have the High-Speed Machine for family sewing. It gives good satisfaction. Yours truly,
S. W. TRUE.

"BUSY SMOOTH—AND SEWS EVERYTHING BUT HUTTONS." LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 20, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: The report from the chief engineer of the sewing-machine works of the Time-Mirror Company is to the effect that the sewing-machine lately furnished by you for \$22 arrived in good order and has given us all the satisfaction. It runs

Premium Sewing-Machine through your office, and my wife thinks it the best she ever used, consequently we are well pleased.
J. W. McLELLAN.

"SUPERIOR IN SOME RESPECTS TO THE BEST." LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 20, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: My wife and daughter are well pleased with your Time-Mirror Sewing-Machine. They have used several of the best machines, but they yet say your machine is superior in some respects to those they have used, and in many inferior. The best of them, however, many are, no doubt, that it is too cheap to be first-class, but are now satisfied that it is good for the money, three or four times as much. Yours truly,
S. A. MATTRISON.

lightly and with very little noise and performs perfectly. I have used it for all my work with the exception of buttons. Very truly yours,
WM. P. WADE.

"THIRD" EM'AL, AND LIKES THE MIRROR
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 29, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: My wife tried several \$75 machines, and chose the Mirror Sewing-Machine because it was the best in the market, for one-fourth of the money. It is perfect in all particulars, and has been used by her for several months, and we both cheerfully recommend it to the public, as represented.
218 Temple Street.

"NAME IN WORKMANSHIP AND MATERIAL AS THE HIGH-PRICED ARTICLE."
NEWBIAL, Cal., Nov. 3, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: Yours of the 1st last received. Will say, in reply that I am a satisfied customer, and that the cause of the trouble. The little tension screw in the shuttle had worked loose, and was near the end of the thread, in sewing fast, would catch on the screw and break. I tightened the screw and it now runs smoothly, and without breaking thread or irregularity of stitching. Very respectfully,
L. A. MYERS.

"ONE OF THE BEST INVESTMENTS THIS
ORANGE, Cal., Oct. 22, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: We received our High-Armed Sewing-Machine in time for the wedding of our daughter, and

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 25, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: Please send me
 hundreds of the Remington Sewing-
 Machines for \$25, which you are now offer-
 ing with the Waxed Paper. I have long
 wish to say that the machine you offer is
 identically the same as the high-priced ar-
 ticles which I have seen in the stores. Its
 capacity. Being a resident here and an ex-
 perimented sewing-machine man, I will take
 pleasure in recommending the one I have
 used the machine, in this place or vicinity.
 C. E. SPENCER.

"IS DELIGHTED WITH IT."

POMONA, Cal., Oct. 25, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: I have used the
 Remington Sewing-Machine came in good time,
 in excellent condition without scratch or
 blemish, and I am delighted with it. I
 wish to say that the machine is all that you
 advertised it to be.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 25, 1886.
Times-Mirror Company: I have used the
 Remington Sewing-Machine for some time
 and consider it one of the best investments
 we ever made. It is nicely finished, and
 runs very light, doing good work. I
 wish you one thing, do not let me hear of
 any one needing a machine, for I think
 you can do better than invest \$25 in a
 machine and misnomer. Respectfully yours
 J. W. BROWN.

"MORE THAN SATISFIED AND GLAD
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Times-Mirror Company: I have used the
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 for sending to u for testimonials, as I have
 sat my new machine in the parlor, with
 my sewing, and I have been very much
 pleased with it. I have used it for some
 had a good many friends who have
 used to running. So I did not take time
 to do anything with the new one until I
 had used it for some time. I have been
 and went to running it to test it.

recommend it to be, and think it a rare opportunity for those who may want a machine to get a first-class one cheap. Yours truly,

MRS. J. W. STREINGFIELD.

"PERFECT IN EVERY RESPECT."
NORWALK, Oct. 26, 1886.

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Premium Machine arrived in prime condition, and is perfect in every respect. Freight \$2.50, with first cost adding making \$10.50 for as good a machine as can be sold through agents for \$75. Well pleased. Yours respectfully,

MRS. E. C. CRANSTON.

"VERY MUCH PLEASSED WITH IT."
DOWNEY, Oct. 23, 1886.

Time-Mirror Company: I am very much

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"EQUAL TO ANY \$55 MACHINE."
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 19, 1886.

Time-Mirror Company: For the benefit of those who stand in need of a good machine, I can say that I have used the Premium Machine for about two months, I find it equal to any \$55 machine I have seen. Yours truly,

MRS. A. W. WORTH.

Corner Oak and Oceans, Los Angeles.

